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SUBJECT: KOREA AT NON-ALIGNED CONFERENCE (NAC) AND UNGA

REFS: A. STATE 195243; B. STATE 195240; C. GABORONE 1097 (NOTAL)

1. CHARGE MET WITH PERMSEC FOREIGN AFFAIRS MBONI DLAMINI
AUGUST 19 FOR GENERAL DISCUSSION OF U.N. ISSUES AND LIMA
NAC, REPORTED SEPTEL.

2. ON KOREAN ISSUE, DLAMINI SAID GOS STILL CONSIDERING
THIS MATTER AND HAD NOT STUDIED TEXTS OF COMPETING RESO-
LUTIONS. A DELEGATION FROM ROK EMBASSY IN NAIROBI WAS
EXPECTED IN SWAZILAND AUGUST 21 TO PRESENT ITS VIEWPOINT.
DLAMINI SAID NORTH KOREAN REPS NOW RESIDENT IN LOURENCO
MARQUES HAD BEEN "FLOODING" GOS WITH CALLS AND TELEGRAMS
REQUESTING PERMISSION TO SEND A DELEGATION. PM, WHO IS
ALSO MINISTER RESPONSIBLE FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS, HAD FINALLY
AGREED TO RECEIVE AND LISTEN TO THEM. NORTH KOREANS HAVE
SAID THEY WISH TO MAKE THEIR PRESENTATION BEFORE SOUTH
KOREANS, BUT DLAMINI DID NOT KNOW EXACTLY WHEN THEY
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WOULD ARRIVE.

3. RE NAC MEMBERSHIP, DLAMINI SAID SOUTH KOREANS HAD INDICATED WILLINGNESS FOR BOTH NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA TO BE ACCEPTED AS MEMBERS; HOWEVER, NORTH KOREANS HAD MADE NO SUCH COMMITMENT. HE IMPLIED SWAZILAND WILL FAVOR MEMBERSHIP FOR BOTH OR NEITHER.

4. ON COMPETING UNGA RESOLUTIONS, CHARGE MADE POINT PARA 3, REF A, URGING THAT GOS NOT MAKE ANY COMMITMENT AT LIMA TO SUPPORT HOSTILE RESOLUTIONS. DLAMINI INDICATED THAT GOS WAS UNLIKELY TO TAKE ANY FIRM POSITION ON KOREAN ISSUE AT UNGA UNTIL AFTER NAC MEETING IN LIMA.

5. COMMENT: FOLLOWING VISITS OF KOREAN DELEGATIONS AND FURTHER CONSULTATIONS WITH U.K. EMBASSY, EMBASSY INTENDS TO HAVE FURTHER IN-DEPTH DISCUSSION OF KOREAN ISSUES WITH GOS DEPT. OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS.
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